

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
FOREST SERVICE  
857 WEST SOUTH JORDAN PARKWAY  
SOUTH JORDAN, UTAH 84095**

**SPECIAL ORDER OF FOREST SUPERVISOR  
UINTA-WASATCH-CACHE NATIONAL FOREST  
SALT LAKE RANGER DISTRICT**

**TEMPORARY AREA CLOSURE**

**PROHIBITION:**

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(a) and 36 CFR 261.50(b), the following acts are prohibited on the National Forest System areas described in this order. The area affected is located on the Salt Lake Ranger District, Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest. This order is in effect starting May 1, 2019 through November 28, 2019 or until rescinded.

1. **Being in or upon** the area directly surrounding the Silver Lake Loop trail (Forest Service trail #1162) and Silver Lake Information Center as described below and shown on attached map: [36 CFR 261.53(b)]

**EXEMPTIONS:**

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this order:

1. Persons with a permit specifically exempting them from the effect of this order.
2. Any Federal, state or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.
3. Federal or State administrative personnel in performance of an official duty.

**AREA DESCRIPTION:**

The area surrounding the Silver Lake Loop trail (Forest Service trail #1162) and Silver Lake Information Center, located in Township 2 South, Range 3 East, Section 35 all within the Salt Lake Base Meridian. As shown on the attached map.

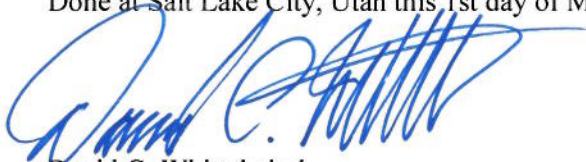
**PURPOSE:**

The area surrounding the Silver Lake Loop trail (Forest Service trail #1162) and Silver Lake Information Center in Big Cottonwood Canyon is closed to prevent vegetation trampling, soil erosion, propagation of unofficial braided routes and protection of the watershed. Routes and locations open for travel in the area will be clearly defined and identified.

**IMPLEMENTATION:**

1. This Order will be in effect when signed May 1, 2019 and shall remain in effect until November 28, 2019 or until rescinded.
2. Attached map shows the area affected by this Order.
3. Violation of the above prohibition(s) is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization and/or imprisonment for not more than 6 months. [Title 16 USC 551, Title 18 USC 3571(b) (6), Title 18 USC 3581(b) (7)].
4. Further information regarding this Order may be obtained at the Salt Lake Ranger District office (801) 733-2660 or Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest Supervisors office, (801) 999-2103.
5. This Order supersedes any previous Order(s) prohibiting the same, or similar acts prohibited by this Order in the area covered by this Order.

Done at Salt Lake City, Utah this 1st day of May 2019.



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